## PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, The Potomac West Business Association has devoted more than twenty-seven years to representing its business members and working with surrounding neighborhood civic associations; and

WHEREAS, The Potomac West Business Association is a dedicated group which continues to work to assure the success and revitalization of Potomac West; and

WHEREAS, The Potomac West Business Association is celebrating the 28th anniversary of its annual five-mile "Turkey Trot" Road Race on Thanksgiving Day, November 27, 2003, in Potomac West, Alexandria, Virginia; and

WHEREAS, The Potomac West Business Association considers this an important event for the City; and

WHEREAS, this event results in donations of a sizeable quantity of food for distribution to the needy by ALIVE, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, more than two thousand road runners from all parts of the metropolitan area, as well as from around the United States, participate yearly;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM D. EUILLE, Mayor of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, and on behalf of the Alexandria City Council, do hereby proclaim Thursday, November 27, 2003, as:

## POTOMAC WEST "TURKEY TROT" DAY

throughout the City of Alexandria.

*IN WITNESS WHEREOF*, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Alexandria to be affixed this 11<sup>th</sup> day of November 2003.

WILLIAM D. EUILLE MAYOR

On behalf of the City Council
of Alexandria, Virginia

ATTEST: